

1 \_\_\_\_\_ BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

2 INTRODUCED BY \_\_\_\_\_  
3 (Primary Sponsor)

4 BY REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

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6 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT ALLOWING CAPITOL SECURITY PERSONNEL AND GUARDS  
7 TO HAVE A VEHICLE REMOVED FROM THE CAPITOL COMPLEX AND CONTIGUOUS AREAS UNDER  
8 CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND AMENDING SECTION 2-17-816, MCA."

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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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12 **Section 1.** Section 2-17-816, MCA, is amended to read:

13 **"2-17-816. Parking citations and vehicle removal within capitol complex.** (1) The director of the  
14 department of administration may ~~in his discretion~~ enter into an agreement with the city of Helena,  
15 Montana, to authorize capitol security personnel and security guards employed by the department to issue  
16 citations for parking violations as defined by state or municipal laws ~~which~~ that occur within the  
17 boundaries of the capitol complex or on streets or alleys contiguous ~~thereto~~ to the capitol complex. All  
18 ~~such~~ citations must be considered within the jurisdiction of the city of Helena, Montana, and must be  
19 handled in the same manner as citations issued by peace officers ~~thereof~~ of the city.

20 (2) A vehicle located in the capitol complex or on a street or alley contiguous to the capitol  
21 complex that is found to be obstructing fire lanes or hydrants, handicapped parking spaces, traffic flow,  
22 or access to a parking area may be removed at the vehicle owner's expense."

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